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Application Title: Non-Nucleic Acid Probes, Probe Sets, Method and Kits  
Pertaining To The Detection Of Human Chromosomes X, Y,  
1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, and 18  
Applicant: Krishan L. Taneja  
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Examiner: Jehanne E. Souaya  
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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed herewith, please find the following documents and sheets.

1. Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a three-month extension of time.
2. Supplemental IDS complete with PTO Form-1449 and cited references.
3. Response to the Office Action mailed on April 21, 2003.

Respectfully submitted  
On behalf of Applicants,

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